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## READ THE ADVERTISEMENTS.

People who take newspapers should always glance over the advertisements, as the business man of today, when he has bargains for the people, always makes it known through the columns of the local paper, and frequently the person who reads the advertisements will learn of opportunities to buy that will save them many times the price of subscription to the paper.

The advertiser will find no better way to reach the people of Gainesville than through The Daily Sun, while those who desire the trade of Alachua county will find The Twice-a-Week Sun the best medium through which to reach the entire population of this section of Florida.

If you have bargains for the people let them know it through The Sun.

Give it to Gainesville.—Tampa Tribune.

A woman was arrested for writing poetry to the President. He can now see more clearly what the newspapers have to endure.

The absence of fear of future punishment, both here and hereafter, leads many a grafter on to deeds he would not otherwise commit.

A San Francisco maniac killed himself after he had wounded nine others with a revolver. Pity he didn't have more sense and kill himself first.

President West of the Jacksonville league team has been placed under arrest for Sunday ball playing. This will be made a test case of the new Sunday baseball law.

The Orlando Evening Star, in speaking of the location of the State University at Gainesville, says that "there could be no better location in the State for the University of Florida. The papers, almost to a unit, favor that staunch old town as the most suitable location."

The first wreck on the Twentieth Century Limited train between New York and Chicago occurred at Mentor, Ohio, a few days ago. Eleven persons were killed and a dozen or more injured. The train ran into an open switch. "The more haste the less speed," is still very good.

Dr. Joseph Y. Porter, State health officer, who has been in Jacksonville this week, says that the health of the State is reported fair and urges the people to keep up the most rigid sanitary work. Every city and village should follow his advice and there will be no danger of contagious diseases. He says there is no yellow fever nearer Florida than the Isthmus of Panama.

Numerous colleges and other institutions throughout the country are now sending out commencement addresses, announcements, etc., with a caution not to release before noon of such and such dates. Some of them would fill an ordinary daily paper page, and in order that they may not interfere with our work, they are released as soon as opened—to the waste-basket. Colleges and other enterprises will find our advertising rates very reasonable.

## DANGER OF GRAFT.

In an address at the college commencement at Oberlin, Ohio, James B. Dill of New York, in referring to grafting said that graft is the advanced stage of the craze for unearned money. Primarily it is not so much the desire to get something for nothing, or, rather it is not only the desire to get something for nothing, but it is an attempt to get something for the grafter in consideration of his parting with something that does not belong to him.

It is a wrong greater than that of the counterfeit who merely makes and passes counterfeit coin. The grafter is a man who robs the counterfeiter, who makes the coin. The grafter then passes the spurious coin to the public as genuine. The grafter is a double villain.

The essential element of graft is a breach of trust.

Graft is well nigh universal. We meet it in its various forms everywhere. Its most common form, however, is the illicit use of power or authority. The legislator who is influenced by the argument which appeals to his pocket rather than to his sense of civic obligation, practices a form of graft which is dangerous to the community. The public is awakened now to the danger of this man. We know him; we understand him. Some day, and none too soon, we shall refuse to vote for him, and then he will pass away.

Another form of graft is that of the bank official, the officer in a financial institution who is influenced in the use of the funds of the institution by any reason other than the good of the institution. Such a man is dangerous to the community—as dangerous as the political grafter—but we do not always recognize him. His position is so high and his form of graft is so insidious that its existence oftentimes is not suspected until the explosion resulting from his grafting has injured the community and made the man and his practices notorious—but too late.

## RUSSIA'S LESSON.

The fact that Russia has so quickly accepted the intervention of President Roosevelt, cannot but help to modify the views of her policy. There is reason to believe that, notwithstanding the arrangement made several months ago, by which correspondents in St. Petersburg were given the liberty to transmit their messages freely, a good deal of information of value to the world has been suppressed. This censorship has been by the sensational journals, rather than the Russian government. Only sensational and highly colored news has been transmitted. Facts were not sent, which although more far-reaching, would not bear the sensational headlines.

The more progressive element of the czar's ministry is no longer looking backward, but forward. They are carrying on the war, but they are looking beyond the war toward the work to be accomplished in peace.

If the liberal element in the ministry maintains the ascendancy, there is a prospect of great things for Russia during the coming twenty years. The war with Japan has taught her much that she needed to know. Some there are indeed in Russia who will not learn the lesson, bitter though it is, but there are others, and if we mistake not, they are the men who will now control the course of events, who have learned the lesson and will apply it, however incompetent for great things the czar may be. It will not be strange if the development of Russia in the next twenty years shall astonish the world quite as much as the progress of Japan has in the past fifty.

Linevitch says he can't "check" the Japs. Never mind; they will get through all right without being checked.

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## Bird Inspired Music.

One of the most pathetic scenes remembered from the experiences of an unhappy genius is given, among other facts, about Beethoven in the "Life of Sir Herbert Stanley Oakeley." The great composer delighted in the outdoor world. He loved a tree, he once declared, with pardonable exaggeration, "better than a man."

After he had become stone deaf he visited the valley of Heiligenstadt, near Vienna, where he had stayed in other and happier days.

"Here," he said to the friend who accompanied him, "I composed my 'Pastoral Symphony,' and here the birds composed with me. Can you hear a yellow hammer?"

"No," wrote his friend on the conversation slate. "And in the symphony I only remember the nightingale, quail and cuckoo."

He believed certain phrases to have been meant for a direct imitation of certain birds, but Beethoven's method was a more poetic one. The birds had inspired him; they had "composed" with him. But they had done it by contributing unconsciously to the joyous harmony of the scene.

Beethoven in answer to his friend's suggestion took the slate and wrote upon it a passage for the flute in the "Brook Scene." That was what the yellow hammer had inspired him to do.

## The "Breathing Cave."

In the western part of North Carolina, in the mountains known as the Fork range, is located the most remarkable cavern now known to exist. It is called the Breathing cave and is certainly a most wonderful natural curiosity. During the summer months a current of air comes from it which is so strong that a full grown man cannot walk against it, and in winter the rush of air is equally strong. At times a most unpleasant odor is emitted from the cave, which is supposed to be from the carcasses of dead animals which have been sucked in and killed by coming in contact with the inner walls of the inanimate, breathing monster. During the spring months, when the change from inhalation to exhalation takes place, the air is filled with pellets of hair, dry bones, small claws, etc., which are supposed to come from creatures sucked into this dry land maelstrom in times passed. Many scientists have visited and revisited the place for the purpose of studying its peculiarities, but still the mystery remains unexplained.

An ounce of a man's own wit is worth a ton of other people's.—Sterne.

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